## New Jersey Board of Public Utilities Weekly Heating Oil & Propane Report

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The Weekly Heating Oil & Propane Report serves as a current source of heating oil and propane information for NJ consumers during the 2004 - 2005 heating season. The data contained in this report are based primarily on industry submissions and weekly price data collected by the Energy Information Administration (EIA).

## **Heating Oil**

Average Residential Heating Oil Prices (Cents per Gallon)

Region Consumed	Fuel Type	Price on	Price on	Change
		12/06/04	11/29/04	+/-
New Jersey	No. 2 Heating Oil	202.32	209.63	-7.31
Central Atlantic (PADD IB)*	No. 2 Heating Oil	204.58	210.09	-5.51
East Coast (PADD I)**	No. 2 Heating Oil	199.02	204.86	-5.84

Average Wholesale Heating Oil Prices (Cents per Gallon)

Region Consumed	Fuel Type	Price on	Price on	Change
		12/06/04	11/29/04	+/-
New Jersey	No. 2 Heating Oil	125.00	147.40	-22.40
Central Atlantic (PADD IB)*	No. 2 Heating Oil	125.73	147.79	-22.06
East Coast (PADD I)**	No. 2 Heating Oil	125.88	147.80	-21.92

**Spot Prices of Heating Oil (Cents per Gallon)** 

Region Consumed	Fuel Type	Price on	Price on	Change
		12/07/04	11/30/04	+/-
U.S.	No. 2 Heating Oil (New York Harbor)	119.41	138.15	-18.74
U.S.	No. 2 Heating Oil (Gulf Coast)	107.54	126.52	-18.98

NYMEX Futures Prices of Heating Oil (Cents per Gallon)

Region Consumed	Fuel Type	Future Contract	Price on	Price on	Change
			12/07/04	11/30/04	+/-
U.S.	No. 2 Heating Oil	Contract 1	122.36	139.27	-16.91
U.S.	No. 2 Heating Oil	Contract 2	123.07	141.83	-18.76
U.S.	No. 2 Heating Oil	Contract 3	120.57	141.73	-21.16
U.S.	No. 2 Heating Oil	Contract 4	115.67	138.03	-22.36

**Northeast Heating Oil Reserve (Thousand Barrels)** 

Region Consumed	Fuel Type	Week Ending	Week Ending	Change
		11/5/04	10/8/04	+/-
Northeast	No. 2 Heating Oil (Woodbridge, NJ Terminal)	1000	1000	0.0
Northeast	No. 2 Heating Oil (New Haven, CT Terminal)	500	500	0.0
Northeast	No. 2 Heating Oil (New Haven, CT Terminal)	250	250	0.0
Northeast	No. 2 Heating Oil (Providence, RI Terminal)	250	250	0.0

## **Propane**

Average Residential Propane Prices (Cents per Gallon)

Region Consumed	Fuel Type	Price on 12/06/04	Price on 11/29/04	Change +/-
New Jersey	Propane	206.71	206.66	0.05
Central Atlantic (PADD IB)*	Propane	198.70	198.58	0.11
East Coast (PADD I)**	Propane	191.86	191.51	0.35

**Average Wholesale Propane Prices (Cents per Gallon)** 

Region Consumed	Fuel Type	Price on 12/06/04	Price on 11/29/04	Change +/-
New Jersey	Propane	93.50	100.50	-7.00
Central Atlantic (PADD IB)*	Propane	90.64	97.86	-7.22
East Coast (PADD I)**	Propane	90.78	96.90	-6.12

**Spot Prices of Propanel (Cents per Gallon)** 

Region Consumed	Fuel Type	Price on 12/07/04	Price on 11/30/04	Change +/-
U.S.	Propane (Mont Belvieu, Texas)	76.13	86.82	-10.69
U.S.	Propane (Conway, Kansas)	80.25	91.00	-10.75

NYMEX Futures Prices of Propane (Cents per Gallon)

Region Consumed	Fuel Type	Future Contract	Price on 12/07/04	Price on 11/30/04	Change +/-
U.S.	Propane	Contract 1	76.00	87.65	-11.65
U.S.	Propane	Contract 2	73.75	87.65	-13.90
U.S.	Propane	Contract 3	70.50	85.40	-14.90
U.S.	Propane	Contract 4	68.25	80.00	-11.75

**Regional Propane Stocks (Million Barrels)** 

Region Consumed	Fuel Type	Week Ending 12/03/04	Week Ending 11/26/04	Change +/-
Central Atlantic (PADD IB)*	Propane	2602.00	2647.00	-45.00
East Coast (PADD I)**	Propane	5698.00	5630.00	68.00

<sup>\*</sup> PADD IB (Central Atlantic) is a subdistrict of PADD I and includes Delaware, District of Columbia, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania.

<sup>\*\*</sup> PADD I (East Coast) includes Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont, Delaware, District of Columbia, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Florida, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia.